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FOR: *Methods to Enhance and
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

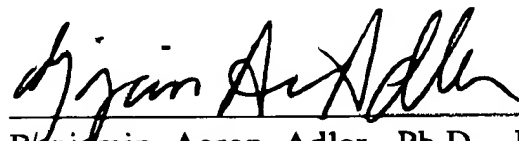
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, Applicant hereby petitions that the period for filing a Response to the Office Action in the above referenced patent application be extended for three (3) months to and including October 9, 2001. Please charge \$445 for the required extension fee to my Deposit Account No. 07-1185. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1185 as well.

Respectfully submitted,

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